## MONTANA DRIVER EDUCATION AND TRAINING



## **TEACHER FACT SHEET**

## Module 7 HOW TO USE THE TWO PRACTICE POWERPOINTS IN MODULE 7

## **Teacher Information:**

There are two separate PowerPoint presentations (also available as GIF files) to be used for practicing searching, identifying and deciding actions students would choose to take. A blank blue slide is between each traffic scene.

Each presentation begins with a "Get Ready" slide. Tell students you will show a traffic scene for two seconds. It is important to show each slide for no more than 2 seconds to force students to quickly search, identify and decide. Immediately move to the next blank blue slide after two seconds.

You can use a space management system of your choice (IPDE, SIPDE, ABC, SAFE, SEE) and have students state what they would do using the system. If preferred, simply ask students to answer the questions "What did you see?" "What action would you take?"

Randomly call on a student to respond to the traffic scene just shown.

Ask another student if they saw the same things and would they take the same action.

There is **NO wrong answer**. The important behavior to reinforce is using a strategy to identify and decide. Point out how drivers will see different things and make different choices. Hopefully the action decided will be the one with the least risk.

When the slide has been sufficiently discussed you can re-show the slide for verification or move on to the next slide by saying "GET READY" while on the blank blue slide.

Use the practice slides to reinforce signs/signals/markings, targeting, lane positions, reference points, and identifying potential hazards.

To add more complexity to the traffic scene, include a speed such as "you are traveling at 35mph" before showing the next slide.